## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Rich Fogal and Michael B. Ball

- § Group Art Unit:

Serial No.:

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MULTICHIP DEVICE AND METHOD OF

**MANUFACTURE** 

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

After awarding the above-captioned application the benefit of the priority date of its greatgreat grandparent application, serial no. 08/515,719, filed August 16, 1995, please amend the current application as follows.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Immediately before the section labeled **DESCRIPTION**, please add the following: --

Related Applications

This application is a divisional of application serial number 09/122,666, filed July 24, 1998;

which is a continuation of application serial number 08/741,579, filed November 1, 1996 and